EPSON Product Support Bulletin

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Product(s):	Expression 10000XL/1640 XL/1680/1600/800/836 XL, Perfection 3490/3590/4490/V700/V750/V100/V350/1240U/1250/1260/1640/1650/1660/ 1670/2400/2480/2580/3170/3200/4180/4870/4990/640U/1200U/610, GT-2500/15000/30000 series scanners		
Subject:	Scanning Application Force Quits on Mac OS 10.4		

This bulletin was created to inform you of an error that may occur when opening a TWAIN-compliant scanning application on a Macintosh computer running OS 10.4.

Description of Problem:
When launching a Twain-compliant scanning application after deleting your Epson Scan driver with an Epson Scan uninstaller not compatible with your scanner model, the application will force quit during start-up. For example, using a Perfection 4490 driver uninstaller to delete a Perfection 3490 driver will cause your scanning application to suddenly close during start-up. This issue affects the following TWAIN-compliant applications:

EPSON Creativity Suite	When pressing the Scan button, the Scan Assistant force quits
Copy Utility	Force quits during start-up
Photo Impression	Force quits during start-up
Photoshop Elements	Force quits during start-up
Photoshop	Force quits during start-up
Photoshop CS2	Force quits during start-up

This issue can also occur under the following conditions:

1) Dragging the Epson Scan folder (located in the Applications folder) to the Trash can

2) Upgrading your scanner and using the Epson Scan driver from the new scanner to delete the driver from the older scanner, and then installing the new driver

Operating Systems Effected:
Mac OS 10.4 to 10.4.9

Affected Epson Scan Driver Versions:
2.70A or later

Correct Procedure for Deleting Epson Scan Driver:

- Use the driver specifically written for your scanner model to uninstall the Epson Scan driver.
- If you have more than one Epson scanner model on your computer, use the driver specifically written for each scanner to uninstall its respective device driver.

- If upgrading from a Power PC-based Epson Scan driver to a Universal Binary driver, first delete the Power PC driver using only the Power PC driver for your scanner model. Then install the Universal Binary driver.

If the above procedure does not resolve the problem, then manually verify that the Epson Scan files and folders, listed below, have been deleted.

- EPSON Scan (in Applications Folder)
- EPSON*********.ds (****** = scanner model)---located in the Library / Image Capture / TWAIN Data Sources folder

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Product(s):	Expression 1600/1680/1640XL Series Scanners; Perfection 610/640/1200/1240/1250/1260/1640/1650/1660/1670/2400/2450/3170/3200 Series Scanners; Stylus CX5200/CX3200/CX5400 All-in-One Products		
Subject:	EPSON Scan TWAIN Ver. 1.28 for Mac OS 10.2 to 10.3		

This bulletin was created to inform you of an updated Epson Scan Twain Driver (1.28A) for the following models: Perfection 610/640/1200/1240/1250/1260/1640/ 1650/1660/1670/2400/2450/3170/3200 series scanners, Stylus CX3200/CX5200/CX5400 multi-function devices, Expression 1600/1680/1640XL series scanners.

Reason:

The new Epson Scan driver improves functionality when scanning in Mac OS 10.3. See the next section for the list of changes included in the new driver.

Driver Improvements:

- Enables Epson Scan to start when the Scan button is pushed.
- Enables Epson Scan to start even if the volume name (Hard Disk) on the desktop is only 2 bytes (2 characters) in length.
- Eliminates the error "Epson scan cannot be started", which occurs when the USB cable is disconnected while Epson scan is loading.
- Corrects lock-up issues when using the Zoom tool in Epson Scan.
- Corrects functionality issues and mouse cursor lock-ups when using the Histogram Adjustment, Tone Correction and Image Adjustment tools or when clicking on each tool's Title bar.
- Prevents Epson Scan from unexpectedly quitting when scanning two or more times from PhotoShop with a Perfection 1250 scanner.
- Prevents Epson Scan from locking up when scanning from a Perfection 3200 scanner with a Firewire connection.
- Prevents Epson Scan from unexpectedly quitting when removing the Firewire cable from a Perfection 3200 scanner while Epson Scan is open.
- Prevents the Epson Scan Utility from freezing when using the Perfection 1250 or 1260 scanner.
- Enables Epson Scan to launch properly when scanning from an Expression 1680/ or 1640XL with a Firewire connection.

Limitations of new driver:

- This driver does not support "Fast User Switching" in OS 10.3. This feature must be turned off before using Epson Scan.
- You may receive an error "Epson Scan cannot be started" when trying to scan from a Perfection 2450 that is connected to a USB 2.0 supported port. To avoid this error, use a Firewire connection or a USB 1.1 only supported port.
- Not all the scanner models on this list support Color Restoration and Dust Removal so these settings may be unavailable in Epson Scan.
- If experiencing unstable operation when scanning from a Perfection 1250 or 1260 scanner, restart your system.
- If the computer goes into "sleep mode" and this setting was enabled in the Apple Menu and you try to switch to a different mode after doing a preview scan in Photoshop, the Epson Scan driver will freeze. This does not happen if the computer goes into "sleep mode" after screen saver has started. To avoid lock-ups, change the scanning mode before the computer goes into "sleep mode" or re-launch Epson Scan after the computer wakes up and then change modes.
- After scanning with the Perfection 1250, if you then close Epson Scan and disconnect the USB cable, a scanner model selection dialog box may appear on the screen. Click "No" and the box closes. You can scan normally afterwards.

Action:
The new driver is available on the Epson web site. Go to www.epson.com and click on Drivers & Downloads. Select your scanner model. On the Downloads page look for TWAIN Driver and Epson Scan Utility v.1.28A in the Macintosh section.

To Install Epson Scan 1.28A:
1. Launch the EPSON Scan Installer and follow the on screen instructions.
2. After the TWAIN has been installed, connect the USB or Firewire interface cable from the scanner to the computer.

To Uninstall Epson Scan 1.28A:
1. Disconnect the USB interface cable from the scanner.
2. Launch the EPSON Scan Installer.
3. Open the drop-down menu where you see "Easy Install" and select "Uninstall".
4. Click the Uninstall button.

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Subject:	Windows™ and Macintosh® Operating System requirements for USB 1.1/2.0 and IEEE-1394/FireWire® Interface connectivity		

This bulletin was created to inform customers of EPSON America's support policy regarding Windows™ and Macintosh® operating system requirements for USB 1.1/2.0 and IEEE-1394/FireWire® interface connectivity.

Reason:

Currently, there are many add-in USB 2.0 and IEEE-1394 connection host adapter products on the market that include drivers for Windows and Macintosh OS that did not originally support specific interfaces. Epson has released several scanner products with built-in USB 2.0 and/or IEEE-1394 (FireWire) ports. This document provides a guideline on EPSON America's support policy on the various operating systems and the interface connections they support. EPSON technical support representatives will only be able to support customers who have Epson products that are configured in accordance with the operating system requirements outlined here and in the product's documentation. Epson customers experiencing problems on an Epson product connected to an add-in USB 2.0 or IEEE-1394 interface that does not meet the minimum system requirements will be asked to contact the interface product vendor or computer manufacturer for technical support.

This document is not model specific. It does not include other important system requirements required to determine product compatibility on a user's computer. To determine product support compatibility, please refer to the specific scanner's minimum system requirements found on the outside of the product box, or visit Epson's web site at www.epson.com.

The guidelines below were compiled from Microsoft's and Apple's Support websites and their published system requirements for supported interface connectivity. For more information on Windows and Macintosh Interface support please refer to Microsoft's online Knowledge base at www.microsoft.com or Apple's web site at www.apple.com. For information on add-in 3rd party interface products please refer to the vendor's documentation or product support web site.

Windows

USB 1.1: Full version Microsoft Windows 98/98 Second Edition, Windows Me, Windows 2000 or Windows XP or Upgrade from a full version of Windows 98/98SE, Me, 2000

IEEE-1394 (FireWire): Full versions of Windows Me/2000/XP, or upgrade from a full version of Windows 98/98SE. Host computer must have an OHCI compliant IEEE-1394-1995 card or port installed.

USB 2.0 Hi-Speed: Full versions of Windows XP or upgrade from a full version of Windows 98/98SE, Me, 2000. Host computer must have an EHCI compliant USB 2.0 Hi-Speed card or port installed.

Windows 2000 did not support the USB 2.0 hardware specification at the time it was first released. Refer to Microsoft Knowledge Base Article - 319973 Universal Serial Bus 2.0 Support in Windows 2000 for more information.

Important Notes:
1.) Operating system must not be an upgrade from Windows 95.
2.) **For Windows 2000 or XP you must be logged in as an administrator or as a user with administrator rights before you can install and use EPSON software.**
3.) USB hubs must be self-powered and connected in a first-tier configuration for reliability

Macintosh OS

USB 1.1: Apple Macintosh computer (G3, G4, or iMac) with built-in USB port, running Mac® OS 8.5.1 to 9.2.2 with all USB extensions enabled. For OS X, you must have 10.1.3 or later.

FireWire (IEEE 1394): Power PC-equipped Macintosh or newer with Mac OS 8.6 to 9.2.2 with Apple's FireWire 2.1 (or later) software installed. For OS X, you must have 10.1.3 or later.

USB 2.0 Hi-Speed: Not supported

Important Notes:
1.) You cannot use a serial interface to connect the scanner.
2.) Interface adapter cables (i.e. SCSI to USB, or USB to Serial, etc) are not supported.
3.) USB hubs must be self-powered and connected in a first-tier configuration for reliability.
4.) FireWire port must be compliant with this specification: IEEE 1394-2000 compatible.

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Subject:	Compatibility Chart for Macintosh OS X Classic		

This bulletin provides information on compatibility for EPSON scanners and Stylus Scan series products running in Macintosh OS X Classic. Mac OS X provides Classic environment for Mac OS 9.x compatible applications and device drivers. For purposes of this document, your Macintosh computer requires OS 9.2.1 and 10.1 system software. To set up Classic, follow the steps below:

1. First install or upgrade your Macintosh system to OS 9.2.1. Then, install OS 10.1 (for details refer to Apple's OS X documentation).
2. To start Classic, click the **Classic** icon in System Preferences. To find _System Preferences_ go to the **Apple Menu** or click on the icon in the **Dock** bar on the desktop. Classic can also be set up to start automatically during the log in process. (Refer to your Apple documentation for installation and operation of Macintosh OS X Classic and 9.2.1).
3. To run a Classic application, just double–click on it.

The following Epson models are supported in Classic.

Model	Driver Version	Connector Type
Perfection 610	TWAIN L 1.00E	USB
Perfection 636U	TWAIN 3.20A	USB
Perfection 640U	TWAIN L 2.01A	USB
Perfection 1200U	TWAIN 4.01A	USB
Perfection 1240U	TWAIN 5.02A	USB
Perfection 1250	TWAIN 5.53A	USB
Perfection 1640SU	TWAIN 5.02A	USB
Perfection 1650	TWAIN 5.53A	USB
Perfection 2450	TWAIN 5.53A	USB
Expression 1600	TWAIN Pro 2.10A/Pro Network 2.00A *	USB
Expression 1640XL	TWAIN Pro 2.10A/Pro Network 2.00A *	USB
Expression 1680	TWAIN Pro 2.10A/Pro Network 2.00A *	USB
Stylus Scan 2000	TWAIN (v.1.10A); Printer (v.6.25E) **	USB
Stylus Scan 2500	TWAIN (v.1.10A); Printer (v.6.25E) **	USB

* Expression Series Scanner Notes:
1. Start your computer in 9.2.1 before you install PageManager. If the Start button does not work, restart the computer.
2. In order to use the Twain Pro network driver, you must have the scanner attached to a PC running Scan Server. On a PC, the scanner can use a USB, SCSI or FireWire (Windows 2000, Me, XP only) connection.

** Stylus Scan Notes:
You must install Smart Panel from its own folder. Start your computer in 9.2.1. From the Software CD open the Smart Panel folder. Click on the Epson Smart Panel Installer icon to install. Before you can launch Smart Panel you must install the Stylus Scan Updater. The file can be downloaded from the Epson web site.

Important Note: MAC OS X Classic supports USB-native and network-capable devices. Classic does not support MAC Serial, SCSI or FireWire connected devices. Therefore, the Expression 636, 800 and 836XL that all require a SCSI connection, are not supported in Classic.

Twain Driver Installation:

1. **Start your computer in 9.2.1.**
2. **Install the Twain driver.**
3. **Connect and power on the scanner.**
4. **Restart your computer in OS 10.1**
5. **Start Classic**
6. **Launch your scanning application**

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Affected Product(s): EPSON Imaging Products (Scanners, Digital Cameras, and Stylus Scan Devices)
Subject: Compatibility Chart for Macintosh OS X Classic

This bulletin provides information on compatibility for EPSON Scanners, Digital Cameras, and Stylus Scan Series devices running in Macintosh OS X Classic mode. Mac OS X provides the Classic environment mode for Mac OS 9 compatible applications and device drivers. Classic mode will require Mac OS 9.1 system software. To setup Classic mode follow the steps below:

1. First install or upgrade your Macintosh system to OS 9.1 before installing OS X (for details refer to Apple's OS X documentation).
2. To start in Classic mode, click the *Classic* icon in System Preferences. To find *System Preferences* go to the *Apple Menu* or click on the icon in the *Dock* bar on the desktop. Classic mode can also be set up to start automatically during the log in process. (Refer to your Apple documentation for installation and operation of Macintosh OS X Classic and 9.1).
3. To run a Classic application, just double–click on it or a document created with the application.

A) The following Epson models are supported in OS X Classic mode via USB.

Model	Driver Version	Connector Type
Perfection 610	TWAIN L 1.00E	USB
Perfection 636U	TWAIN 3.20A	USB
Perfection 640U	TWAIN L 2.01A	USB
Perfection 1200U	TWAIN 4.01A	USB
Perfection 1240U	TWAIN 5.00A	USB
Perfection 1640SU	TWAIN 5.00A	USB
Expression 1600	TWAIN Pro/Pro Network 2.00A *	USB
Expression 1640XL	TWAIN Pro/Pro Network 2.00A *	USB
Expression 1680	TWAIN Pro/Pro Network 2.00A *	USB
Stylus Scan 2000	TWAIN (v.1.10A); Printer (v.6.25E) **	USB
Stylus Scan 2500	TWAIN (v.1.10A); Printer (v.6.25E) **	USB
Photo PC 800/850Z/3000Z	EPSON Photo!3 (v.1.40E) ***	USB
Photo PC 3100Z	USB Storage Device ****	USB

Note: MAC OS X Classic mode supports USB-native and network-capable devices. Classic mode does not support MAC Serial, SCSI or FireWire connected devices.

* Expression Series Scanner Notes:
1. When installing the TWAIN driver and you are prompted to restart your computer, click Quit instead.
2. Click Stop to close the Classic environment. Close the System Preferences folder. Then restart the computer.
3. If you install PageManager v 2.40.05 for the Expression series scanners and the Start button does not work, restart the computer.

** Stylus Scan Notes:
1. You must install the Stylus Scan drivers in a true 9.1 environment. Do not install in OS X Classic, the installation will hang. From the Printing and Scanning Software CD, open the Epson Stylus Scan 2xxx folder and click on the icon to install the drivers. When prompted, restart the computer. Make sure the startup disk is set to OS X before restarting. Start Classic and install Smart Panel.
2. You must install Smart Panel from its own folder. From the Software CD open the Smart Panel folder. Click on the Epson Smart Panel Installer icon to install. Before you can launch Smart Panel you must install the Stylus Scan Updater. The file can be downloaded from the Epson web site.

*** Digital Camera Notes:
1. EPSON Photo! 3 must be installed in a true Mac OS 9.1 environment. It cannot be installed in Mac OS X Classic mode. After installation, restart the computer in OS X, start Classic, then launch Photo! 3.
2. Use the EPSON *Camera Monitor Setup* dialog box in *Apple Menu Items* to assign an application before using the programmable *Push (Shutter) Button Function.*
3. You can use the *Push Button Function* in Classic mode.

****Photo PC 3100Z Notes:
1. This camera is supported by Mac OS X native mode using the embedded Image Capture application.

B) The following models are not supported in OS X Classic when using the connector type(s) described in the chart below.

Model	Connector Type
Perfection 636	SCSI
Perfection 1200	SCSI
Expression 636	SCSI
Expression 800	SCSI
Expression 1600	SCSI/FireWire
Expression 1640XL	SCSI/FireWire
Expression 1680	SCSI/FireWire
Expression 836XL	SCSI
GT-10000 (PC platform only)	SCSI
GT-10000+ (PC platform only)	SCSI
GT-30000 (PC platform only)	SCSI/FireWire
Photo PC 500	Serial
Photo PC 600	Serial
Photo PC 650	Serial
Photo PC 700	Serial
Photo PC 750Z	Serial